



The Rice County Genealogical Society
408 Division Street, Northfield MN 55057

Spring 1994

MEETING DATES

17 May 1994	7:30 P.M. Scriver Building, Northfield
21 June 1994	Informal Get together at Hardees in Northfield.
19 July 1994	Same as 21 June
16 August 1994	Same as 19 July
20 Sept 1994	7:30 P.M. Scriver Building, Northfield Bring staplers, We will be doing our Summer Newsletter.
23/25 June 1994	Other Dates of Interest Heritage Days, Faribault
19/24 July 1994	Rice County Fair, Faribault

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The Rice County Genealogical Soc was 1st organized in 1975. We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Odd months, in Northfield, in the lower level of the Scriver Building. Even months, Faribault at The Rice County Historical Museum. Dues \$7 a year, individual and \$9 for a family. Quarterly newsletter, Rice Gleanings included with membership. Queries printed free. Space available, members first.

HELLO

This is called the Spring newsletter, but it lists all the activities for summer. Guess I'm going to have to change something next time around and get the title more in sync with the season.

June 23, 24, & 25 is Heritage Days in Faribault, with our Swedish Immigrant families being honored this year. Be sure to check out some of those activities.

July 19 thru 24 is the Rice County Fair. Bonnie has invited us to set up a table in the museum again to share our knowledge of Genealogy with those interested and interesting people who stop by to chat and ask questions. We members who are there get a good visit too. We'll be there 1PM to 4PM, Wed thru Fri, Sat and Sunday if we can, and evenings by appointment. We'll need all our members to man this table. Drop in, it's fun..

I'm still looking for those lists of Surnames of interest to our members to be published this fall. Please get them to me,

We finally got to spend some time cleaning out our archives. We found Luana's "lost" newsletter file and its amazing how much other stuff we sorted out of the piles. (See our Guest Editorial from former M.G.S. newsletter editor, Betty Jane Gould). Now we need shoe boxes, file card boxes, large 3 ring binders and a bookcase to sort and store all this stuff properly and orderly. We will be working on this again in the fall then its back to the obit's again. We do really have a lot of them pasted, ask Arlene and Jeff. They got a good start at sorting out those we have done.

We have voted to hold even month meetings at Faribault, and Bonnie has graciously invited us to the Rice County Museum. We thank the Rice County Historical Society and Bonnie for making us welcome.

Your Editor,

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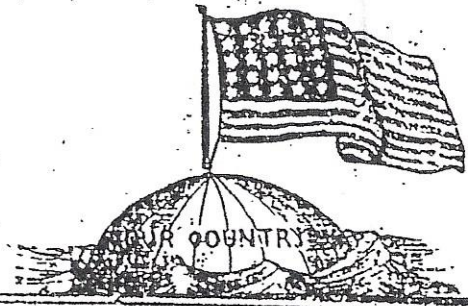
Now for words from Betty Jane.....

Once upon a time--a few years ago--during a genealogical seminar, the speaker said that periodically one should redo one's research files--to see that all records were accurate, updated, and that all sheets for an individual had the same data. Everyone groaned at the thought. I did, too, but I had to agree that the suggestion had merit. I remember those ten or twelve family sheets for one of my ancestors that I found in the LDS files in Salt Lake City. I found very few of those sheets had exactly the same data.

Recently this bit of advice was reenforced while searching my own files as I looked for a ROACH folder. I have been researching the Phineas and Joanna ROACH family for Dori Kove, Shelby Twp MI. I had found census records, obits, county history info. While looking for this file, I came across another ROACH folder! I had forgotten this 1990 request for help from Marion Roach Erickson, Rodeo CA! Dori and Marion know each other. They still are seeking death records for Phineas and Joanna.

Another proof that files need to be used constantly. The PHILLIPS family is a recent project. Delores A. Olson, Osakis MN mentioned a Phillips Family Letter. Our genealogy society finally got around to a long planned house cleaning session. And what did we find but a copy of the Phillips Family News! This particular issue shed no light on the Northfield Phillips story, but it does give an entry to further research.

Betty Jane



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List of Letters remaining in the P.O. at Faribault, 22 Dec 1856. From the Rice County Herald, 25 Dec 1856

Austin, Margaret	Cook, Daniel	Jackson, Charles	Sidman, W. Caleb
Aldrich, Thomas	Cristman, Hiram	Jenison, S. S.	Stone, Edwin
Bell, William	Downing, George	Jackson, Alexis	Skelkman, John
Blair, R.	Dilley, O. William	Jackson, Miss E. L.	Strong, Edwin M.
Bates, Henry	Dingman, Austin	Jones, John Z.	Sherman, Daniel
Barnes, W. P.	Evans, William P.	Joreson, Peter	Speak, Leonard
Barnes, Olivia	Eddy, Lewis	Jennison G. H. Rev.	Stoddard, H. S.
Barton, J. W.	Edwards, John	Moreland, S.	Smith, George W.
Booth, D. S.	Esterbrook, Royal	Matthews, Robert W.	Sergent, Flora
Brown, Charles	Eddy, Willard	McKerry, John N.	Seaver, Francis P.
Brayton, A. H.	Everson, Charles	McCarty, Mariah	Schineller, Joseph
Bishop, Catherine	Emerson, J.	Miller, Peter	Scott, Graham
Babcock, Zebulia	Finch, Sylvester	Metcalf, William	Snell, James
Bassel, S. B.	Fernett, Domas	Morrill, True	Stubbins, Easter
Baker, N. Duane	Frunan, P. M.	Miner, James	Sherwood, B. M.
Brooks, M. P.	Foster, James	Morgan, Sylvester	Simes, Daniel
Byrne, B.	Ferguson, William	Minske, Frederick	Strong, Elias
Brady, Charles	Foot, Graham	Martenson, A.	Stowell, Emelia
Byrne, J. V.	Gidley, Phipp	Morrill, James W.	Sloan, F.
Babcock, Z. O.	Gheving, Joseph	McCasken, Archibald	Smith, Thomas J.
Byrne, Mary	Giles, Samuel	Nilson, A.	Turner, Martha A.
Cuttler, C.	Grey, S. C.	Norris, Stephen	Thron, Christian
Conles, W. W.	Goodman, Enoch H.	O'Gready, James	Terrell, William
Crandle, J. E.	Humphrey, H. W.	Osmudson, Osmund	Wright, Leonard
Coat, Edward	Hadley, MR.	Oviatt, Suman	Williams, William H.
Charles, Andrew J.	Hergle, John	Oliver, A. John	Waltz, William
Crookshank, C. F.	Hollock, Israel B.	Potter, Garner	Wright, William
Crosby, B. A.	Hays, Thomas	Peterson, George	Wheeler, Wm J.
Condon, Patrick	Hall, John R.	Parker, Mrs Rebecca	Ward, Truman, G.
Chenowith, Thomas	Hoyle, Mary	Peeschel, Auton	Williams, Wm.
Caddy, Willard	Hosten, Granvill S.	Parker Rebecca	Wooldridge, Delany
Connore, Thomas	Howell, Jonathan	Porter, Mrs	Withroe, F. B.
Couner, Mathew	Howe, Samuel W.	Passon, John	Wilder, Hiram R.
Carroll, Peter	Hall, Cyrus	Pierce, Oliver	Winkley, W. P.
Cox, John	Hallock, J. V.	Qiinlan, John	Wight, H. A.
Cruise, John	Hall, Matilda	Querck, Catherine	Wholey, Michael
Cobbs, Charles G.	Haddle, John A.	Reidy, Michael	Wheeton, Willard
Cannon, Thomas	Hill, Samuel	Russell, Painter	Wintermute, Herwin
Chapman, Edward	Hickley, Samuel G.	Reibeling, George	Wellman, W. H.
Clarkin, Budget	Hoyle, R. O.	Russell, Samuel	Wardon, S. Nelson
Convey, Henry	Hatch, Franelid	Rolfe, William S.	
Cone, Oscar J.	Hofries, Azariah	Reed, John	
Carpenter, Hening	Hand, James	Rodgers, Roseylinda	
	Hudson, L. W.	Strong, Fredrick	

All persons calling for the above letters, will please say they are advertised. A. E. YOUNG, Deputy P. M.

Queries...Queries...Queries...Queries...Queries...Queries...

George Henry EBSEN, wife Anna Kristena, came to America from Jutland Denmark in 1882 to Albert Lea then settled in Faribault. Daughter Anna was born in Faribault on 24 Sept 1883. Can anyone pinpoint which EBSEN family he was ?
Reply to; Robert E. Root, 310 Antelope Drive, Riverton, WY 82501

Frederick Max BRUSE, born Faribault MN around 1862. Wife Johanna KRUPP. Frederick was an instrument maker. Where would his birth record be found. Is there any paper trail of the BRUSE family name in Rice County?
Reply to; Mrs. Beryl Killey, 39 Hood Street Yagoona 2199 Australia

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